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Applicant(s): Richard Lunak et al.
Filed: April 7, 2004
Title: RESTOCKING SYSTEM USING A CAROUSEL

Art Unit: 3651
Examiner: Gene Crawford

Docket No.: DB000975-003
Customer No.: 24122

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

To: Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed on 26 January 2005 for the above-captioned application,
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- Amendment and Response Under Rule 116.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment
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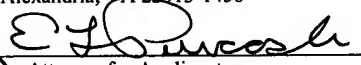
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER RULE 116

In response to the Office action mailed 26 January 2005, please consider the instant amendment and response.

Amendments to the Claims are shown in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.